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OF

WILLIAM LOWTHER.

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LOWTHER'S SPECIFICATION.

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME, I, WILLIAM LOWTHER, of Hatton Garden, in the Parish of Saint Andrew, Holborn, in the County of Middlesex, Esquire, send greeting.

WHEREAS His most Excellent Majesty King George the Second, by His Letters Patent, under the Great Seal of Great Britain, bearing date the Twelfth day of November, in the thirty-first year of His said Majesty's reign, did give and grant to me, the said William Lowther, His special licence, full power, sole privilege and authority, that I, the said William Lowther, my executors, administrators, and assigns, should and lawfully might, during the term of years therein expressed, use, exercise, and vend, throughout that part of His said Majesty's Kingdom of Great Britain called England, the Dominion of Wales, and Town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, and also in His Majesty's Plantations abroad, my new-invented "POWDERS AND DROPS;" in which said recited Letters Patent is contained a proviso obliging me, the said William Lowther, by writing under my hand and seal, to cause a description of my said new-invented Powders and Drops to be inrolled in His Majesty's High Court of Chancery within four calendar months from the date of the said recited Letters Patent, as in and by the same, relation being thereunto had, may more at large appear.

NOW KNOW YE, that in compliance with the said proviso, I, the said William Lowther, do hereby declare that my said new-invented powders are made of the several particulars and in manner following, that is to say:—

Lowther's Medicinal Preparation.

Pulvis compositiones laureticus corvū nigrum cum plumis exsiccatum, turmeric, mund. secundine ex placenta moles serpens Virgiana, salis nitre depurate rad. brionnia lumbricorum preparatore pulverise, et m. f. s. a. Dosis No. q^r X. ad 3 i. And I do hereby, in farther compliance with the said proviso, declare that my said new-invented drops are made of the several particulars, 5 and in manner following, that is to say:—Compositione guttæ laureticus, ether preperatoræ, carranæ, teccha, machacca, chammumele floris, aī salis et spiriti camphiri, potestes succini, opoponæ cardamoms, wild carrot, long pepper. Mithridate of each, q. s. m. f. After you have dissolved the gum, put all into a close vessel, overtop the whole with spirit. vini, and let them 10 digest till the whole are thoroughly incorporated.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, the Ninth day of March, in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty-eight.

W. LOWTHER. 15

Signed, sealed, and delivered, by the within-named William Lowther, Esquire, in the presence of us,

J. WAY.

EDW^d LOWTHER. 20

AND BE IT REMEMBRED, that the Ninth day of March, in the year above written, the aforesaid William Lowther, Esquire, came before our said Lord the King in His Chancery, and acknowledged the Invention aforesaid, and all and every thing therein contained and specified, in form above written. And also the Invention aforesaid was stampd according to the tenor of the 25 Statute made in the sixth year of the reign of the late King and Queen William and Mary of England, and so forth.

Inrolled the Eleventh day of March, in the year above written.

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